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TO : CA - Mr. Ringwalt/  
NA - Mr. Allison  
FROM : FE - Mr. Fisher  
SUBJECT: CIA Secret Weekly

PI - Mr. Bly  
SRA - Mr. Rosen  
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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Effective May 21 the Central Intelligence Agency discontinued its Top Secret Weekly and commenced publication of a secret weekly. S/S-R has made arrangements to obtain an extra copy of the new weekly which it splits into geographic sections and routes to the respective Policy Information Officers in the Department. Upon receipt of the FE section, I will further subdivide it and send you items of direct interest to your Division. The CIA weekly is issued on Friday afternoon; with luck, I can get the material to you Monday.

There may be material that will be useful as inspiration for items for our own weekly. Use of the CIA material is permissible, but it should be incorporated into our own stories and not attributed to CIA. Where you detect sharp differences of opinion between ourselves and CIA, it is suggested you may wish to bring such to the attention of Mr. Butterworth. Remember that copies of the CIA weekly go to the White House and to other members of the National Security Council.

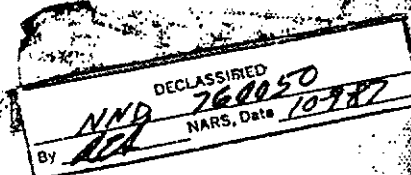
S/S-R has requested that we call to its attention any instances where, in our opinion, security has been jeopardized by the secret classification. Please advise me of any such instances.

Regarding ultimate disposition of this material, I suggest that as soon as you are through with the material it be returned promptly to this office. As you may know, we maintain a country-by-country file of all FE material appearing in our own weekly. It should prove of additional reference value to all components of FE if a parallel file of the CIA material on the Far East were maintained here.

I attach material of interest to your Division from the issues of May 21, May 28 and June 4.

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